

# AN ARTISTIC DISCOVERY 2006

*25th Annual Congressional Art Competition for High School Students*

*Sponsored by Congressman Paul Ryan*



## CALL FOR ENTRIES

- ◆ High Schools located in the 1st Congressional District of Wisconsin

## DESCRIPTION:

- ◆ An Artistic Discovery, a nationwide art competition, which is voluntarily sponsored by Members of Congress, allows creative high school students to showcase their talents in Washington, D.C. at the United States Capitol Building for one year.

## GUIDELINES FOR ART WORK

- ◆ Two-dimensional works ONLY
- ◆ Cannot be more than 4 inches in depth
- ◆ Art work must be original in design, concept, and execution. CANNOT violate any U.S. Copyright Laws. Any entry that has been reproduced from an existing photo, painting, or other work produced by another person is a violation of the competition rules and WILL NOT be accepted.
- ◆ Maximum size is 30 x 30 (including frame/matte)

## ART WORK CATEGORIES

- ✓ **Paintings:** Oil, Acrylics, Watercolor, etc.
- ✓ **Drawings:** Pastels, Colored Pencil, Pencil, Charcoal, Ink, Markers
- ✓ **Collage:** Must be two dimensional
- ✓ **Prints:** Lithographs, Silkscreen, Block Prints
- ✓ **Mixed Media**
- ✓ **Computer Generated Art**
- ✓ **Photography**

## EXHIBITION/RECEPTION/AWARDS CEREMONY

- ◆ Saturday, March 11, 2006
- ◆ 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
- ◆ Olde Towne Mall, 20 S. Main Street, Janesville, Wisconsin
- ◆ Art entries exhibited throughout lower level hallway
- ◆ Reception and Awards Ceremony in the Atrium (lower level)

## AWARDS

- ◆ **BEST OF SHOW**--Art entry displayed at the U.S. Capitol for one year
- ◆ Name provided to Savannah College of Art and Design for consideration of Artistic Honors Scholarship in the amount of \$3,000 per year
- ◆ Invited to National Awards Ceremony in Washington D.C. (winner responsible for travel and lodging expenses)
- ◆ **2ND THROUGH 4TH PLACE WINNERS**--Art Entries will be displayed at Congressman Ryan's district offices for one year

## NUMBER OF ENTRIES

- ◆ Each teacher may submit a total of three (3) entries
- ◆ One art piece per student

## PREPARATION OF ART WORK

- ◆ Only first place winner will be responsible to frame entry, according to framing guidelines
- ◆ Recommended that art work is matted

## ENTRY FORMS/INVENTORY SHEETS

- ◆ All entries must have a completed and signed 2006 Artistic Discovery Student/Information Release form attached to the back of the art work
- ◆ All entries must have a completed label attached to the back of the art work
- ◆ All students must provide a written explanation about their entry

## ART WORK DUE DATE--MONDAY, MARCH 6, 2006!!

**SEND OR DELIVER ART WORK TO:** Congressman Paul Ryan  
20 South Main Street, Suite 10  
Janesville, WI 53545  
Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.